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**VIA ELECTRONIC FILING**

Marlene H. Dortch, Secretary  
Federal Communications Commission  
445 Twelfth Street, S.W.  
Washington, D.C. 20554

Re: Notice of Ex Parte Presentation in WC Docket No. 02-78; Petition of Mid-Rivers Telephone Cooperative, Inc. for Order Declaring It To Be An Incumbent Local Exchange Carrier in Terry, Montana Pursuant to Section 251(H)(2)

Dear Ms. Dortch:

On Friday, June 10, 2005, Mr. Gerry Anderson, General Manager of Mid-Rivers Telephone Cooperative, Inc., met with Anthony Dale, Office of Legislative Affairs, to discuss the status of the above-referenced petition. In doing so, Mr. Anderson stressed that the petition has been pending for over three years and explained the exigent circumstances that justify expedited treatment of the matter.

Please direct any questions regarding this Notice to Dave Cosson at (202) 296-8890.

Sincerely,

/s/

Holly Rachel Smith

cc: Anthony Dale